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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SHUICHI KOBAYASHI

Appln. No.: 09/685,042

Filed: October 10, 2000

For: DIFFRACTIVE OPTICAL DEVICE
OPTICAL SYSTEM INCLUDING
THE SAME

) : Examiner: A. Chang

) : Group Art Unit: 2872

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated April 25, 2003, for two months, from July 25, 2003 to September 25, 2003.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$410.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in, or overpayment of, this fee should be charged, or credited to, Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this petition is enclosed.

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Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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